

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: **Chen et al.**

§ Group Art Unit: **3625**

Serial No.: **10/666,796**

§ Examiner: **Michael Misiaszek**

Filed: **September 18, 2003**

§ Attorney Docket No.: **AUS920030302US1**

For: **Method of Displaying Real-Time Service Level Performance, Breach, and Guaranteed Uniformity with Automatic Alerts and Proactive Rebating for Utility Computing Environment**

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Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

A fee of \$100.00 is required for 2 additional claims in excess of 20. Please charge this fee to IBM Deposit Account No. 09-0447. No additional fees are believed to be necessary. If, however, any additional fees are required, I authorize the Commissioner to charge these fees which may be required to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 09-0447. No extension of time is believed to be necessary. If, however, an extension of time is required, the extension is requested, and I authorize the Commissioner to charge any fees for this extension to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 09-0447.

In response to the Office Action of June 28, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.